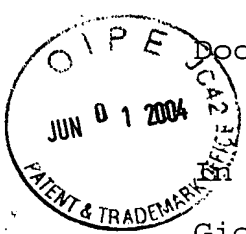


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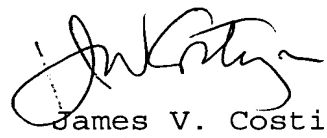
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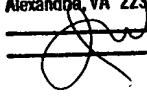
LETTER

Sir:

This Letter is being filed in response to the Office Action that was mailed May 18, 2004. A substitute Terminal Disclaimer is attached to this Letter which recites that Giovanni Cartabbia is the sole owner of the above identified application. Since the fee for the Terminal Disclaimer was previously paid, no fee is attached to this Letter.

Respectfully submitted,

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TERMINAL DISCLAIMER

SIR:

Your petitioner, Giovanni Cartabbia, of Via Piantada, 9D; 25036 Palazzolo sull'Oglio (Brescia), Italy represents that he is the sole owner of the above-identified application.

Petitioner hereby disclaims the terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application which would extend beyond the expiration date of U.S. Patent 6,446,369.

Petitioner also hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the above-identified patent and application shall be enforceable only for and during much period that the legal title to said patent shall be the same as the legal title to U.S. Patent 6,446,369 and is to be binding on the grantee, it's successors or assigns.

Giovanni Cartabbia

Dated: May 27, 2004

By:

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